## BALTIMORE CITY--COMMISSION FOR HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL PRESERVATION

CDBG SURVEY YEAR: N/A

AREA: East Baltimore-Midway

SURVEY NO.: B-4231 MAGI NO.: 0442315704

ADDRESS: 2312 Robb Street

CURRENT NAME: N/A

BLOCK:

LOT:

HEIGHT: 2

CONDITION: Excellent

LOT SIZE:

MATERIALS: Brick, frame, stone

OWNER: St. Ambrose

ADDRESS:

ACCESSIBLE: Yes, restricted

LIBER/FOLIO:

USE: Vacant residential

DESIGNATION:

HISTORIC NAME:

DATE: Ca. 1920 ARCHITECT/BUILDER:

STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE):

## DESCRIPTION:

The two-story, brick porch-front rowhouse is located on the northwest side of Robb Street in an early twentieth century housing development. The facade has three bays on the first story and two on the second. The porch base is faced with random ashlar stone accentuated by white mortar. The steps and deck are concrete. The porches in the entire block extend across each pair of adjoining houses, leaving a gap between porches for the extra window bay on the first story. The porch columns are square with molding-embellished corners. The flat porch roof has a plain frieze and cornice. The second story window openings are boarded, as are the first story door and windows. The arches are flat with alternating soldier courses. The modillion cornice breaks at each side of the facade.

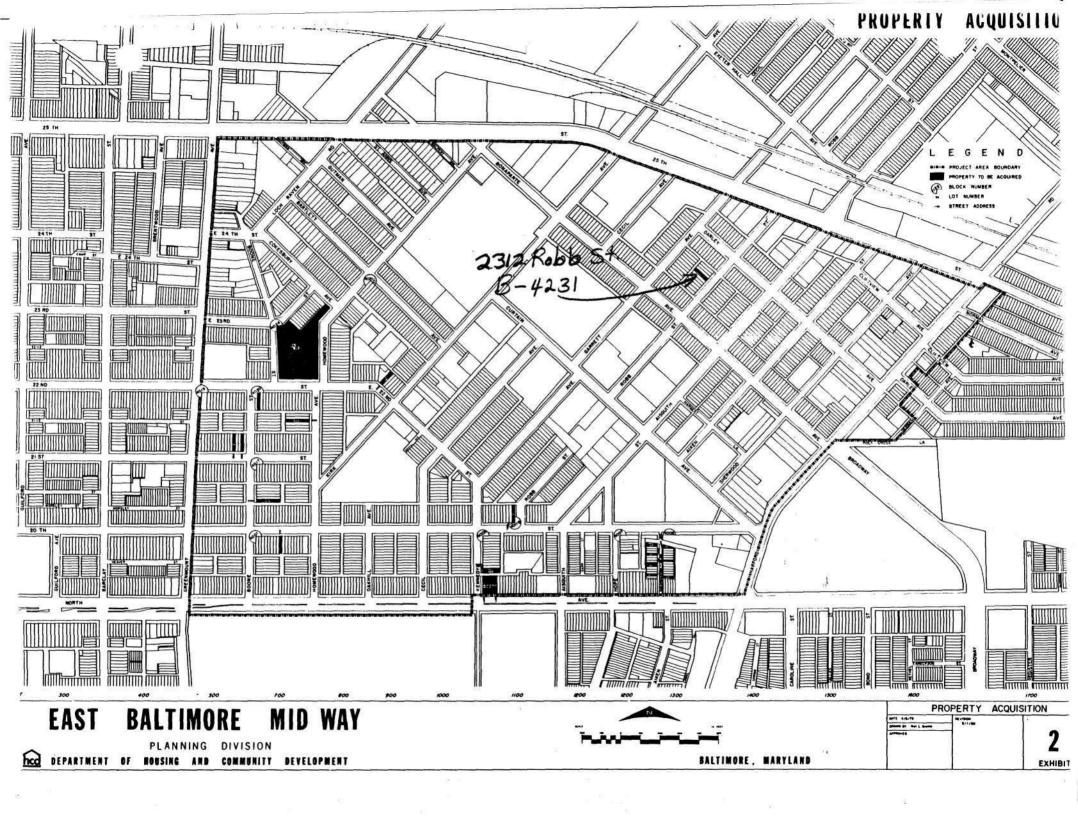
## SIGNIFICANCE:

AREA: Architecture, Community DevelopmentLEVEL: Local

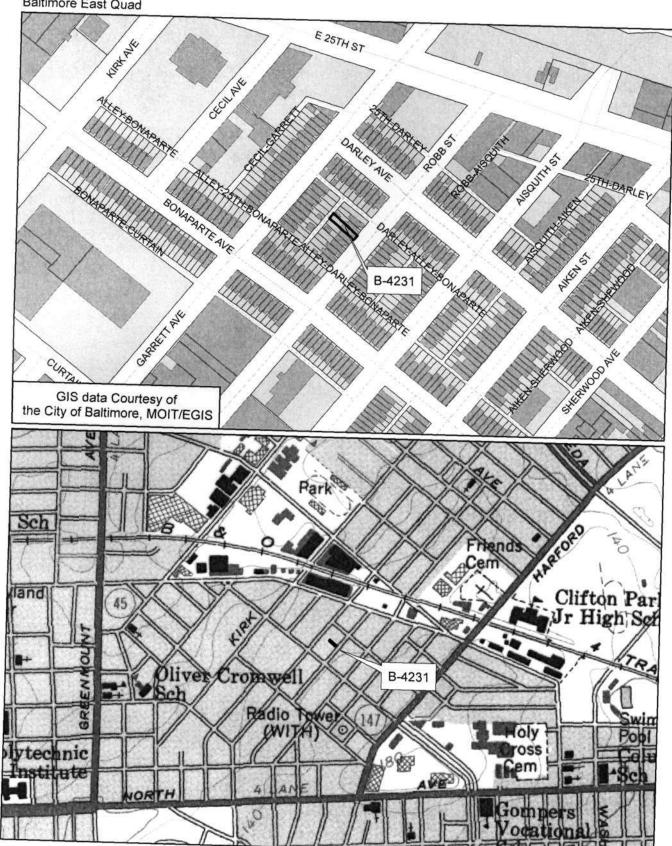
The rowhouse at 2312 Robb Street contributes to an undefined historic district in the East Baltimore-Midway area with significance in architecture and community development. The early 1920's porch-front type of rowhouse is exemplified by this house and the area surrounding was the last developed out of the Edward Patterson estate which encompassed a large tract extending northward to the present Coldstream-Homestead-Montebello section.

SOURCES: Bromley's Atlas of Baltimore (1896), Topo Commission Map (1914)

SURVEYOR AND DATE: Janet L. Davis, CHAP, December 1988



B-4231 2312 Robb Street Block 4010L Lot 040 Baltimore City Baltimore East Quad





2312 Robb Street B-4231 Baltimore, Moryland Photographer: Janet Davis

Date: July 1988

Neg. loc. : Moryland SHPO Southeast elevation